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To: All State Assembly Representatives

Re: Opposition to Senate Bill 44 / Assembly Bill 61 in Extraordinary Session of Legislature

The League of Women Voters of Wisconsin opposes the so-called Right to Work bill based on the League's national positions, which support policies that promote self-sufficiency for individuals and families and enhance the economic base of our communities. Evidence indicates that states with this legislation have lower wages, and that means less money for families and less money in our local economies.

Moreover we deplore the aggressive timeline for passage of this legislation and fail to see any "extraordinary" need to fast-track this bill. Given the strong showing of opposition at the hearings and the much weaker show of support, we urge you to slow down and consider whether this legislation will truly serve the people of Wisconsin or rather a relatively small number of special interests.

We oppose this bill and urge you to do the same.

Thank you.